

## Message Text

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TAGS: PFOR, UK

SUBJECT: MESSAGE FROM SECRETARY TO CALLAGHAN

1. DELIVER FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO CALLAGHAN SOONEST

2. BEGIN TEXT: DEAR MR. FOREIGN SECRETARY: PLEASE  
ACCEPT MY WARMEST CONGRATULATIONS AND BEST WISHES AS YOU  
UNDERTAKE THE HEAVY BURDENS OF YOUR NEW OFFICE. IT WILL  
BE A REAL PERSONAL PLEASURE FOR ME TO BE WORKING CLOSELY  
WITH SOMEONE I CONSIDER A PERSONAL FRIEND AND IN WHOM I  
PLACE SUCH GREAT TRUST. FOR US THE UNITED KINGDOM IS  
NOT A FOREIGN COUNTRY, BUT RATHER A CLOSE FRIEND AND ALLY,  
AND I KNOW THAT WE WILL WORK TOGETHER IN THAT SPIRIT IN  
THE MONTHS AND YEARS AHEAD.

I HOPE THAT YOU AND I CAN DEVELOP A HABIT OF  
CLOSE AND PRODUCTIVE CONSULTATION, AND WILL BE IN TOUCH  
WITH YOU AGAIN WITHIN THE NEXT 48 HOURS WITH SOME  
SUGGESTIONS ON HOW WE MIGHT INITIATE SUCH A PROCESS.  
WARM REGARDS. HENRY A. KISSINGER. END TEXT

3. DEPARTMENT DOES NOT PLAN TO RELEASE TEXT BUT HAS NO  
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OBJECTION TO HMG DOING SO.

MESSAGE CAN BE DECLASSIFIED UPON DELIVERY. KISSINGER

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